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A Poverty Stricken Man in Luck

It was during the war that a well-known business man of this city kept gossip going, and his money, too, in the whirl and excitement of a fast life. He had large army contracts, and from them his riches came. The money, easily obtained, was in truth thrown away. He had barrels of it: estimations at his means were not infrequently placed at \$2,000,000 or \$3,000,000; he had all the attributes of a prodigal—in fast horses, fast women, an unquenchable thirst for wines, and the desire to be talked about as a man about town. He was as generous as he was reckless, and fair-weather friends swarmed about him. They helped themselves to his funds and sang his glories as long as he had a dollar to spend. In the height of his folly he thought of what was to come, the inevitable death. What men said about him living puffed up his vanity, but what they would say about him dead must depend upon the splendor with which he could go out of the world. Over his grave he wanted to have the most imposing monument in Spring Grove. To prepare for this possession he had one day, extracted from his Government bonds, \$25,000, and put them in an envelope, which being sealed and endorsed "propose," he placed in his safe. In his round of dissipation the monument and everything connected with death slipped from his memory. The natural sequence of his mode of living, distressing poverty came upon him. His family barely had enough to keep soul and body together. His horses, diamonds, fine home, business and friends passed away. In the week he incurred his folly, and worked at whatever he could get to do.

Among the things left to him were barrels and boxes filled with valuable paper. Years went on without improvement in his affairs, until last Monday evening. While overhauling the contents of one of the barrels, a package endorsed "propose," spurred his curiosity somewhat. He broke the seals, tore off the wrapper, and to his astonishment saw \$25,000 in bonds were revealed. These were the monument fund, long forgotten, and now resurrected when a "tough" to him was a big as a three-sheet poster. —Cincinnati Times.

Giving the Cheese a Chance.

The man swigged into a tidy little house over the Rhine, stepped into a chair, slipped his feet upon the table, shoved his hat on the back of his head, and talked for hours, brand and Limberg. The proprietor, brand and Limberg, filled the order himself.

The man picked up a bit of cheese on a fork and smothered it in butter. "Take that away," he said, "and bring me some decent cheese. I'll be Limberg. I want—this is the gold."

"What's the matter with that cheese, wine friend? Van die doo-doo!" I heard some one say, "all the cheese, nothing to please."

"Saw! Now! That's what I want. This cheese is no count at all. I want something I can smell clear across the room. Trot it out, and be lively. This don't stink a bit—fresh in the market, you've got. I've got a Dutch stomach, if I was born in America," and the man smelled at the cheese again, and then it down in disgust.

The proprietor bowed over the table and also sniffed a few times. He then turned an injured look on the capricious customer, and personally said: "Don't fail, my friend; look down at the feet of the dabbler and give cheese a fair chance!" —Cincinnati Times.

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